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CLEAN-UP PARADE WILL

BE THIS AFTERNOON

**Begins Near School Building;
Speech-making at City Park
To Be Climax**

With a blare of trumpets and roll of drums the much talked of Civic Improvement Parade will unroll itself before the public this afternoon at 3 o'clock, instead of Monday as formerly announced. The parade under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers Association, will start from the High School and end at Lotus Park, the new civic center on the Court House square, where Mrs. S. O. Keown will direct the singing of several original songs by the school children. After this the following speakers will address the assemblage: Judge W. H. Barnes, Mrs. S. O. Keown, Judge Mack Cook, Messrs. A. D. Kirk, C. O. Hunter, W. C. Blankenship and James A. Tate.

The parade will consist of the following characters and episodes, together with the entire student body of Hartford Graded and High School:

Heralds, Misses Amelia Pirtle and Bessie Clark.

Bugle and Drum Corps: Messrs. Frank Tichenor, Archie Johnson and Cecil Tichenor.

"The Kicker"—White Mule led by Mr. Douglas Williams.

"Hartford As She Is", representing the town without improvements—Miss Beatrice Leach and Messrs. Virgil Crowe and Everett Himes.

"Hartford As She Ought To Be"—Little Miss Irene Cox Birkhead and Master Kenneth Birkhead in pony carriage.

The Jesters—Messrs. Raymond Felix and Blanton Ellis.

"A Study In Whites and Browns"—Messrs. Coleman, James Owen and Clifton Brown, also Dixie.

"The Gold Dust Twins", featuring Misses Mercedes Baird and Geneva Howard.

"Dirt Chasers"—A truck load of soap conveyed by Miss Elizabeth Moore, representing "Old Dutch Cleanser."

"Patriotism"—Car draped in the Colors and filled with pretty girls.

"Snow White"—Mr. Tony Johnson driving car overflowing with daintiness and blossoms.

"The Clean Up Infantry"—School Children marching with brooms, mops, rakes, hoes, dusters, fly swatters et cetera.

"Hartford's Road Builders", featuring the pick and shovel squad all ready for action, under the direction of Messrs. David Bishop and Jesse Smith.

Field Marshals—Messrs. Parke Taylor and Edward Duke.

This municipal gala day will be under the general supervision of Mrs. John B. Wilson, President of the Parent-Teachers Association and Mrs. Rowan Holbrook, Chairman of the Civic Betterment Committee, assisted by Miss Winnie Davis Simmerman and Mr. McDowell A. Fogle, composing the Parade Committee. The placards used will be due to the artistic talent and public spirited industry of Mr. Raymond Felix.

Much credit is due the entire personnel of the Hartford school and friends for their deep interest and hearty co-operation with the Parade Committee. It is hoped that all who can possibly do so will be on hand at the Park to encourage the improvement of Hartford.

DEATH AT ROCKPORT

Mrs. Lula Bolton died at her residence in Rockport, at 4 p. m., Sunday, after a lingering illness of tuberculosis. She was about 30 years of age. Among those she leaves are two sons and one daughter. She was a member of Rockport Presbyterian church.

Burial occurred at Rockport cemetery, Monday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

OHIO COUNTRY BOY MAKES UNIVERSITY TEAM

According to press reports Byron Williams, who played on the Hartford baseball team last season and is now a student in the University of Kentucky, will play 3rd base on the varsity team of that institution this year.

HALF MILLION IN LOOT IN DARING MAIL THEFT

Cincinnati, April 7.—Four men in an automobile tonight held up and robbed a United States post office mail truck near the West End station of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad here. Several pouches of registered mail were taken from the truck and carried away by the robbers. It was impossible to-night to ascertain the amount of loot taken.

Chicago, April 7.—Special investigators sent from Washington in connection with the theft yesterday at the Dearborn station of mail pouches containing cash and securities believed to total more than \$500,000, tonight were proceeding on the theory that the robbery had been carried out by a national gang of mail thieves who obtained advance information of money shipments from postal employees.

The investigators were convinced that yesterday's theft was an "inside job," because of the fact that the robbers sorted a number of sacks on a mail truck in the station and selected only those which contained valuables.

The same procedure was carried out today in another robbery at Sullivan, Ind., once the home of Postmaster General Will Hays, the robbers selecting the sacks containing money, although there was nothing on the pouches to indicate that they contained other than ordinary mail.

A score of persons were arrested today in connection with the robbery here, but most of them were released. The police said that two of the men held probably would be able to furnish information of the operations of the mail thieves, however.

SAYS IMMORALITY MENACES SCHOOLS

Cleveland, April 11.—In a report read and discussed by the child welfare department of the Cleveland Federation of Women's Clubs, Superintendent of Schools R. C. Jones said immorality is the greatest menace of the public school today; that we are fast drifting toward free love in this country; that the mothers of the nation are not making good on the jobs and that dancing in Cleveland schools will be barred entirely, unless it is conducted as a wholesome pleasure and entertainment for school pupils.

"Indifference on the part of parents toward the activities of their children is one of the great problems in immorality," Mr. Jones' report continued. "It is up to the women and mothers to set higher standards of morality and home life. Unless there is a greater feeling of morality I fear the community and nation will drift toward free love."

The condition in Cleveland's high schools, Supt. Jones asserted, was particularly aggravated by the extreme dressing on the part of many girls, by night riding in automobiles and by "close" dancing at school parties.

"Too many young people are dressing beyond their means. Silk hosiery, low-necked waists, short skirts, rouge and powder should be tabooed by school girls," the report said.

ANOTHER GUSHER "IN"

Hot Springs, Ark., April 11.—Hot Springs may not have added anything to the oil production for which the state has recently been famous but the city had a gusher of another kind which was highly welcomed. A 50,000-gallon capacity well of water at 141 degrees Fahrenheit was added to the hot water production on the United States reservation here by the drilling of a well on the site of a new bath house about to be built. The water was around at 67 feet. It has very materially added to the hot water production of this national reservation.

VISITORS FROM OKLAHOMA

Mr. J. F. Wilson and daughter, Mrs. J. H. Cross, of Stillwater, Oklahoma, who have been visiting near Horse Branch and Rosine since Apr. 2, spent the week-end with relatives here. Mr. Wilson formerly lived near Rosine but went West

LOCAL DASHES

Mr. W. M. Hedlin, of Owensboro, made a business trip to this city, Thursday.

Attorney W. H. Barnes was in Louisville on business several days last week.

Mr. W. H. Park made a business trip to Winchester, Ky., Friday, returning, Sunday.

Circuit Court Clerk A. C. Porter was in Owensboro on business, Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. J. Caskey Bennett has been confined to his room since Friday with abscessed tonsils.

Mr. Mack Daniel, who has been very ill of pneumonia for several days, is greatly improved.

Miss Mildred Stevenson returned Monday morning from a visit with relatives at La Center, Ky.

Messrs. Alfred Duke and Darrel Robinson attended the dance at D. W. Rial's Saturday night.

Miss Connie Smith, of Beaver Dam, spent Tuesday night with Miss Evelyn Rhoads, of this city.

Messrs. John Ross Taylor, Archie Clay Johnson and Auburn Tichenor spent Sunday in Centertown.

Mr. E. G. Barrass returned from a brief visit with relatives in Indiana and Illinois, Thursday.

Mrs. Goodell Wooten spent a few days in Owensboro, as the guest of Miss Ione Hedrick, this week.

Misses Sadie and Geneva Minton attended the moving picture show at Beaver Dam, Thursday night.

Miss Mildred Stevenson left Thursday, for La Center, Ky., to spend a few days with relatives.

Mr. W. T. Woodward is building a residence on his lot adjoining Mr. Bud Yeiser's property on the pike.

Mrs. Laura Stevens, of Louisville, visited a number of her old friends and neighbors in this city last week.

Miss Emilie Pendleton and little brother, Bankie, spent the week-end in Owensboro, the guests of relatives.

Mr. Clarence Godsey, of Central City, was the guest of Miss Sadie Minton from Saturday until Sunday.

Mr. Theo. Snyder, of Central City, was the guest of Miss Geneva Minton from Saturday until Sunday.

Among those who have returned from Florida after spending the winter there is Mr. John M. Bishop, of Centertown.

Misses Beulah Minton and Enda Robinson attended the dance at the home of Mr. B. W. Rial, near this city, Saturday night.

Misses Myrtle Carter and Ernestine Ralph spent Sunday with Miss Kathleen Tichenor, at her home at Centertown.

Mrs. Francis Shaver, who has been spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. E. T. Williams, has gone to Earlington, Ky.

Mr. H. M. Beard, of Hardinsburg, was in this county on business, pertaining to the duties of his office, Deputy State Tax Commissioner, last week.

Mrs. W. C. Blankenship left Thursday, for Merrin, Ill., where she will spend a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. Noble Taylor, and Mr. Taylor.

Mrs. J. Walter Greep, of Tuscaloosa, Alabama, arrived last week to be with her sister, little Miss Isabelle Barnard, of near Beaver Dam, who was recently injured. She will remain another week.

Mr. Hoyt Taylor, who is in the government service with headquarters at Washington, D. C., spent last Saturday and Sunday at

Rockport with his wife and little son, here.

Miss Winnie Westerfield has recovered from a brief illness.

Attorney W. H. Barnes was in Beaver Dam on business, Monday.

Mr. H. S. Selbert and son, Mr. The Selbert, of Owensboro, were in this city, Tuesday.

Messrs. Gertrude Schlemmer and Margaret King spent from Friday until Sunday in Owensboro.

Miss Gladys Bennett, who has been ill of tonsillitis and abscessed tonsils for several days, has recovered.

Master John D. Riley spent Saturday night and Sunday with his aunts, Misses Hettie and Ruth Riley, of Owensboro.

The stork visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hawkins, of Hartford, R. 2, Friday, and left with them a 10½ lb. girl. Her name is Elma.

Mr. Gross Schroeder left Monday, for Louisville, where he will make an extended visit with his brother, Mr. D. D. Schroeder.

Rev. R. E. Fuqua, of this city, filled his regular appointment at Rockport, Saturday night, Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Mr. C. A. Hudson, who has been seriously ill of bright's disease, at his home on Griffin avenue, for some time, is reported to be better.

Best high patent flour, 24 lb. sack, \$1.50. 48 lb. sack, \$2.55. Bbl., \$10.00.

W. E. ELLIS & BRO.

Just before going to press, we learned that Miss Kathleen Turner, mention of whose illness appears elsewhere in this issue, has pneumonia.

Mr. D. L. Miller is very low of a complication of diseases at his home near Beaver Dam. His brother, Mr. Marvin Miller, of Owensboro is at his bedside.

Mr. Clarence Stevens and Mrs. Herman Stevens and little daughter, Marguerette, of Beaver Dam, spent Monday with Mrs. Pendleton Hudson, of this city.

Mrs. Ernie Brown, of Livermore, underwent an operation at the City Hospital in Owensboro, last Thursday. She is yet in the hospital but is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith returned Sunday afternoon to their home in Calhoun, after a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Sam McMurtry, and Mr. McMurtry.

Hon. Alvis S. Bennett, of Louisville, Ky., has purchased the O'Bannon property on Clay street, now occupied by Mr. L. C. Acton. Mr. Bennett's father and sister will reside there.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Newcomb, of the Washington neighborhood, went to Owensboro, Tuesday, where Mrs. Newcomb underwent an operation. She is reported to be recovering nicely.

Misses Thelma and — Bennett, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Bennett, of Shinkle Chapel, spent the week-end with their aunt, Mrs. J. Caskey Bennett, and other Hartford relatives.

We are glad to report that Mrs. C. M. Barnett has recovered and was able to walk down town, Monday. She became ill while enroute home from Nashville, Tenn., several days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Westerfield accompanied their little son, Fred, to Owensboro Monday, where he was examined by a throat specialist, and his tonsils probably removed. They had not returned at the hour of going to press.

Mrs. John B. Wilson will leave next Tuesday to attend a state meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association at Louisville, the 19, 20 and 21 inst. She will visit her son, John Allen Wilson, who is attending the University of Kentucky at Lexington, before returning.

ANOTHER OHIO COUNTY HERO RETURNED

The body of Pvt. Emary C. Cochran, of Prentiss, who was killed in France, arrived at Beaver Dam, Tuesday and was taken to the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cochran, where it will remain until tomorrow afternoon when interment will take place at Prentiss cemetery.

Young Cochran was a member of Co. H, 2d U. S. Inf., 1st Div., and was killed by machine gun fire while operating a machine gun near Cantigny, May 29, 1918. He was 23 years old at the time of his death. His body was first buried on the battlefield but was later removed to Cantigny cemetery nearby.

Sgt. Ralph B. Folmar, whose brother was with Cochran when he was killed and was himself wounded at the same time, accompanied the body to Beaver Dam.

Rev. E. L. Howerton, who was an army chaplain, will conduct the funeral. Besides his parents the young hero leaves three sisters and two brothers.

PETIT JURY SELECTED FOR MAY TERM COURT

The following men will be summoned to appear at the court house in Hartford, May 3, to serve as petit jurors during the May term of court:

C. A. Crag, W. F. Newcomb, J. W. Talley, A. J. Williams, Jake Barnard, A. E. Sandefur, Elmore Eldison, C. D. Carden, A. A. Carter, N. M. Russell, Warder W. Gardner, R. W. Barnes, S. A. Lee, Golden Sinslow, D. N. Havener, J. W. Edmondson, W. H. Gillespie, D. M. Park, R. S. Ashby, E. S. Kirtley, Claud Renfrow, Leslie Hoover, Ben Scott, E. W. Morgan, M. T. Parks, John P. Taylor, G. W. Faught, J. L. Patton, Will P. Griffith, J. A. James, L. D. Bennett, Albert Cox, Harvey Tichenor, W. S. Carter, J. H. Howard, J. W. Robertson.

There will be no grand jury this session.

SHOOTING AFFRAY AT McHENRY

It is reported that on last Thursday night, some drunken rowdies entered the restaurant of Willie Tate, at McHenry, and attempted to take the place, but Tate being unwilling to be run out ordered them away from the place. It seems that after the rowdies reached the street they fired several shots at Tate, who securing his shot gun returned the fire and drove them away. In the melee a young man by the name of Beasley, an innocent bystander, received a slight bullet wound.

Saturday night, someone, supposed to be one of the rowdies, threw a rock through a window of the restaurant striking Mrs. Tate but causing no serious injury.

NEW MAIL CONTRACT

R. L. Dever and Co., local transfer men, have been awarded the contract to carry the mail between the M. H. & E. depot and Hartford Postoffice, and have assumed their new duties. They have for several months been carrying the mail between Hartford and Beaver Dam, and will continue to do so. The M. H. & E. mail was formerly carried by A. R. Rial.

CHILD BREAKS BOTH WRISTS

Isabelle, the little daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. Thad Barnard, of near Beaver Dam, fell from a loft, several days ago breaking both wrists. She is resting nicely at this writing.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Mrs. S. L. Baird will present same properly proven on or before May 5, 1921, or be forever barred. H. A. and J. A. BAIRD, Admins. Hartford, Ky. 15-3t.

FOR SALE

Eight baseball suits, catcher's out st. grand stand. All in good condition. For particulars call or write J. C. CASEBIER, Hartford, Ky. 15-1t

Mr. Emory G. Schroeter, who has been doing photographic work in Alabama for some time, arrived Sunday to spend about two weeks

FEDERAL FARM LOANS WILL SOON BE AVAILABLE

**Land Bank Expects to Begin
Receiving Applications
About April 15th**

The Hartford National Farm Loan Association has received notice from The Federal Land Bank of Louisville that it will probably be in a position to begin receiving applications for loans upon the middle of this month. A waiting list of farmers desiring loans is being kept at the office of the Association in the Glenn & Simmerman building. Those who register there will be notified when the new application blanks arrive.

The making of loans is dependent on the speed with which the \$40,000,000 of land bank bonds bearing interest at five per cent and non-taxable, which will be placed on the market at once, are disposed of. It is felt that these will prove rather attractive bonds. Six weeks after the first lot is sold an equal amount will again be offered. It will probably be sometime, however, before the bank will be in a position to loan money to all applicants. Local officials are urged to take into consideration the purpose for which the loan is desired and to give preference to those farmers whose need is greatest.

The Association's tentative list of borrowers shows that loans amounting to more than \$125,000 will be asked for by Ohio County farmers. This is probably as much as this County will be allowed out of the first bond issue but a fully adequate amount will be available later.

REDUCED R. R. RATES FOR K. E. A. MEETING

The railroads have granted a fare of 1½ for round trip to Louisville for the annual session of the Kentucky Educational Association, which convenes April 19-22, 1921. This special rate is offered only to members of the association and dependent parties of their families and will be allowed only on presentation at starting point of identification certificate issued by the Secretary of the Association. All persons expecting to attend the meeting should write the Secretary R. E. Williams, 4515 Southern Parkway, Louisville, for the certificate. County Superintendents, City superintendents, principals and other interested school people should see that their teachers enroll and obtain the certificate before coming to Louisville, as the ticket agent will not be in position to allow the reduced fare without the certificate. Tickets will be sold at special reduction only on April 18 and 19.

K. E. A. MEETING TO BE APRIL 19 TO 22

The annual meeting of the Kentucky Educational Association is to be held in Louisville, April 19 to 22. Railroads have granted a reduction in fare, making it one and one-half for the round trip. The special rate is not applicable to the general public, but only to members of the association and dependent members of their families. And the rates are upon the certificate plan. So all who contemplate attending must procure certificate and be in possession of an identification card at the starting point. Get your cards at once so that the extra fare may be saved and trouble avoided.

BIG SOCIAL FREE FOR ALL

Where?—In the basement of the Methodist church. When?—Friday April 15 from 7:30 to 9:00 p. m. Who? For all members and friends of the church. Members of all churches welcome. Program, good music and funny stunts.

All the young people in town are invited. Parents come and bring the children. Mothers bring the babies, there will be a cradle room for them and a nurse provided. Nothing to pay; nothing to sell. Just a good time for all.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wells, of Cleveland, O., arrived last week to be with Mrs. Well's sister, Isabelle Barnard, who was injured recently